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In re application of

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DIFFERENTIATED CELLS ORIGINATING IN PRECURSOR FAT CELLS AND METHOD OF ACQUIRING THE SAME

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 February 29, 2008

Sir:

This responds to the Official Action of January 2, 2008, for which the period for response has been extended one month.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

An Appendix is attached following the signature page of this paper.